

Social and Personal

This is Christmas Day, and the chonor at most of the functions to-day, whole town will celebrate the event in some manner or other. "Open house" will be the order of the day, and informal affairs will be given from one end of the city to the other, with big family dinners in the evening to conclude the festivities of the senson Calling is very general on Christmas, and a throng of fashionable folk will go from one friend's home to another with happy greetings and holling whiles. Gay red wreaths and every general so that the hone to another with happy greetings and holling the residential section, and big Christmas trees, bright with tinseland shining ornaments, are set up in many drawing-rooms. It is children's time, and the little people are guests of the singular at the hone of the brides parents. Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wilkerson, of Tampa, Fla., was celebrated in Goralman, Fla., is Christmas Day, and the chonor at most of the functions to-day.

W. A. Simpson left town yesterday to town will calchyste the event Guest of Miss Hermion.

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Miss Slo a Martin, of Green's Farm, Conn; Mrs. Eugene Miss Army, now stationed at Texas City, Texas, is visiting his father, Dr. Alfred P. Upshur, surgeon in the United States Army, now stationed at Texas City, Texas, is visiting his father, Dr. Alfred P. Upshur, surgeon in the United States Army, now stationed at Texas City, Texas, is visiting his father, Dr. J. N. Upshur, on West Kins, here for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pegram are the arms of Mrs. Harry L. Hodges at her

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Mrs. Francis Perry Dunnington, of the University of Virginia, and Dr. Rock-well Emerson Smith. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday evening, December 30, at 6:29 o'clock in the chapel at the University of Virginia. Miss Dunnington is widely related throughout the State, and a number of Richmond people will go to Charlottes-

Fifth Street, are leaving to-day to spend the Christmas season with Mrs. Carrington Cabell Tutwiler, at her home in Chestnut Hill. Pa. Miss Caroline Coleman will return to Richmond

In and Out of Town. Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Goodman, who have been recent guests of Mrs. Wil-Ham Goodman here, have returned to

Miss Bertha DeLarue is visiting Miss Ethel M. Ortel at her home in Baiti-

William L. Royall, Jr., will arrive in Richmond Saturday to be the guest of his mother, Mrs. W. L. Royall, of 1120 West Avenue, until December 31

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund C. Mayo, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Gaston L. Myers, of Norfolk, and her children, will visit Colonel and Mrs. John W. Gordon at "Huntley," on the Three Chopt Road,

Roland Lassiter, a student at Yale University, is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Lassiter, of 1847 West Grace Street.

Cadet H. Clarence Franklin, of the Virginia Military Institute, is at home on a furiough as the guest of his parents at Greaham Court.

Miss Martha Chambers, of Hollins College, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Allen Chambers, on Park Ave-

Randelph Owen, of North Carolina, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Owen, at "Buck Hill."

Sigman M. Morris, of Norfolk, will arrive here Saturday to spend the holf-day season with friends.

A SKIN OF BEAUTY IS A JOY FOREVER Br. T. FELIX GOURAUD'S ORIENTAL CREAM



the marriage of Miss Julia Kern, schter of United States Senator and John W. Kern, of Indianapolis, and Dr. George B. Lawson, of

Monument Avenue, is giving a dance at her home this evening in honor of Miss Maria Adela Adkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adkins, Guests of Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Talcott, of Albany, N. Y. are guests of Colonel and Mrs. T. M. R. Talcott at their home here for the holiday season. Miss Mary Talcott, of Washington, is also a guest of her parents, Colonel and Mrs. Talcott, for Christmas.

Met laugherty—Brugh.

A pretty wedding of vesterday afterneon was that of Miss Phebe Whitney
lirnith, daughter of Mrs. U. W. Brugh,
and John Ewell McClaugherty, son of
Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McClaugherty, which
took place at Max Meadows. The Rev.
D. K. Hoyall, paster of the First
Baptist Church at Radford, performed the ceremony, and decorations were in Christmas greens,
burning tapers and crimson flowers.
The "Bridial Chorus" from Lobengrin,
was played as the bridal party entered, and Mendelssohn's "Wedding
March" as a recessional. "Traumerel"
was rendered very softly during the
service.

The bride entered with

The bride entered with her brother,

dr. and Mrs. McClaugherty have gone

Sorth on their weeding trip. Among he guests from a distance attending he ceremony yesterday were E. A. Srugh, of Roanoke; K. V. Brugh, Louis

Brugh, of Roanoke; K. V. Brugh, Louis Frautz, of Troutville, Miss Nell Mo-Claugherty, of Springwood; Miss Frances Brown, of Roanoke; Miss Smily Kent, of Draper; Miss Cynthia Kent, of Richmond; Mrs. Cary Jones and Miss Jones, of Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. W. Crockett, of Roanoke; Mrs. J. G. Kent, of Berkley, Cal.; Miss Charlotte Kent, of Jackson, Miss.

The wedding is of much Interest here, where the bride made her home

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for several years. After January 18, Mr. and Mrs. McClaugherty will be at

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Again thanking our many friends for their assurances of interest and good-will, we remain.

Sincerely,

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mond, attended the bridegroom as his best man, and Mrs. W. P. Martin, of this city, played the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin" as a processional.

Dr. and Mrs. Dickinson loft later in the afternoon for an extended Northern tour. Some of the out-of-town guests present were Mrs. Lucit Elliott, is spending the Christmas season in Richmand.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Palen. of Visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. Lucy Hayes Buttrick has returned to Richmond, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Frank McCullough, student at the Woman's College here, spending Christmas with Miss May

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pegram are the in Richmond for a few days.

Miss Mary Vest, of Lynchburg, is guests of Mrs. Harry L. Hodges at her home in Norfolk for the helidays.

Spotwood E. Hall, of this

Mrs. W. H. Rice has returned to her Fredericksburg.

student at the Woman's College here, is spending Christmas with Misa May Belle Slater in Newport News.

Newport News, are guests of relatives

Spotwood B. Hall, of this city, has

been the recent guest of relatives near Louis Ecker English, of New York,

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schweyer and end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. their son, of Easton, Pa., arrived last J. English, Jr.

MEMBERS OF NOBILITY BORN ON CHRISTMAS

Wide Difference of Opinion as of his line having married Miss Frances to Luckiness of Such

Birthday

Can blood in his voins, the second peer of his line having married Miss Frances Cadwalader, daughter of John Cadwalader, of Philadelphia, Pa.

Birthday.

BY LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

SEVERAL members of the reigning to louses of Europe celebrate to day the anniversary of their birth, among them being the bowager Duchess Adelade of Luxemburg. Cheen Alexandrice of Denmark had her birthday posterday.

Whereas in Ungrish-speaking countries, and in Scandinavia, births on Christmas Eve et on Christmas Day, are accounted fortunate, in other perits unlucky. Folishre throughout the South of Europe, not only in Latin countries, but also in the Balkans has taught for hundreds of years past that a terrible blight rests upon those who arrive in the world on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day; popular superstition holding such births to be sacrifications.

Many of the tragedies which darkened the life of Empress Elizabeth of Austria, finally culminaing in her agsassination at Geneva, are ascribed by numbers of people to the fact that she was born on Christmas Eve, and it is, to say the least, a strange coincidence, that King George of Greece, who also celebrated the anniversary of his birth on Christmas Eve, should have succumbed last January to the builet of an assassin at Salonlea.

For the young Queen of Leenwark Washington, it was price to be in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of the British legation at Considerable time in the United States, as secretary of

celebrated the anniversary of his birth on Christmas Eve, should have succumbed last January to the bullet of an assassin at Salonica.

For the young Queen of Denmark, and those other royal personages who have their birthday yesterday and today, all that one can wish them at this season of the year is contained in that brief Latin phrase, "Absit omen."

The new Lord Erskin is the sixth holder of the barony conferred on the brilliant younger son of the tenth Earl of Buchan, who, after serving in turn as a midshipman in the navy and as an officer in the army, embarked upon a legal career. He was one of the most eloquent lawyers of his day, a man of caustic wit, and wound up his career on the woolsack, as Lord Chancellor of Great Britain.

The family motto of the Earls of Buchan has for centuries past been "Judge not." This, to say the least, was an awkward dictum to appear on the armorial bearings of the sovering's principal legal adviser, and of the highest judicial dignitary of the highest judicial dignitary of the highest judicial dignitary of the realm. So the first Lord Erskine, on

favorite niece, Lady Napier. Lady Napier, it may be remembered, after the body of the marquis had been dismembered, in accordance with the terms of the sentence, under circumstances of the greatest indignity, caused the headless, legiess and aimless trunk to be carefully embalmed—it is now entombed in St. Giles's Cathedral—after for yourself a legting and heautiful olemn promise exacted from her by the marquis a day or two before his death. The heart, also embalmed, she had inclosed in a little scaled case, made of the blade of her hero's sword, and had that placed in turn in a fine gold-fliagree box, which had belonged to her kinsman, John Napier of

to her kinsman, John Napier of Merchistoun the inventor of loga-The heart met with mest extraordinary vicisalitudes, was stolen, recovered in a curio shop at The Hagne, restored to the Lord Napler of the day, bequeathed by the lifth Lord Napler to his laughter, wife of Commodore Johnstone, commanding the British naval forces in India; lost there for a number of years; acquired by the Nabob of Arcoti restored by him to the Johnstone family, under the most romantic circumstances; robbed from the Johnstones at Boulogne, in France, when they were imprisoned there by the Revolutionary government in 1792, and lost since then, being believed to have found its way to the United States, where it is possibly preserved in some private collection.

The Naplers are one of the very oldest houses of Scotland, and are said to derive their name from an expression of King David II. of Scotland, who, at the close of a battle, in compilmenting the Lennox men, led by Donald, second son of the Earl of Lennox, declared that they had all done valiantly, but that there was one of them, namely, their chief, who had

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